

REMARKS

By this Amendment, a sheet of drawing showing Figure 2 and amended Figure 3 has been submitted to replace previously submitted Figures 2 and 3. Figure 3 has been amended to specify more clearly the location of the straight line. No claims has been amended, added or canceled. Thus, claims 1-24 are currently pending for the Examiner's consideration, with claims 1 and 16 being independent claims.

Applicant wishes to note a minor typographical error in Applicant's response dated October 14, 2003. The last line on page 11 should read as "*diameter value of the Sasaki et al. film roll is not more than ~~$2W \times 10^{-33}$~~ $2W \times 10^{-3}$ and not more than $L \times 10^{-7}$.*"

Applicant also requests that the objections to the drawings outlined in the Form PTO-948 attached to the Advisory Action dated October 28, 2003, be held in abeyance until after an indication of allowable subject matter.

Applicant believes that all pending claims are in condition for allowance. Reexamination and reconsideration in light of the above amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order No. TEI-0122 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this paper, or if a petition for extension of time is required for timely acceptance of same, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 180013 for any such fees; and applicant(s) hereby petition for any needed extension of time.



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ANNOTATED SHEET SHOWING CHANGES

Fig 2. Diagram for Claim 1

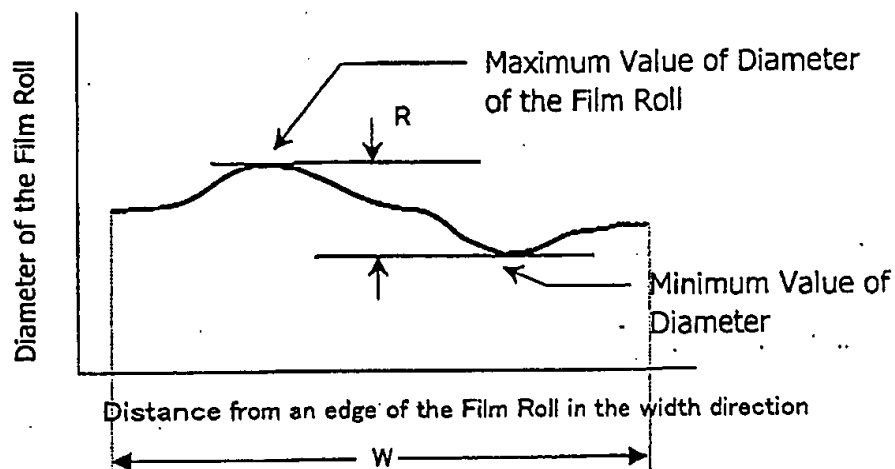


Fig 3. Diagram for Claim 16

